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In re Patent Application of:  
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For: POWER TRANSMISSION METHOD AND  
DEVICE FOR A MOTOR VEHICLE  
COMPRISING A HEAT ENGINE AND AT  
LEAST ONE ELECTRIC MACHINE

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to examination of the above-identified pending U.S. patent application, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

**Amendments to the Specification** are listed on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract** are listed on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.